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One, and only one, of which will unlock the safe. To every customer whose purchase

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Straw Matting at 7½c per yard. Better at 10c to 17c SPECIAL.

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### CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Fire Destroys a Residence—Animals Killed by Lightning—Heavy Tobacco Sales—Farmers Fight.

#### A Louisiana Case.

New Orleans, May 5.—Dr. Samuel F. Swaine, of Plaquemine, La., shot and mortally wounded Dr. Emil Hilar, also of Plaquemine, whom he found in a room with Mrs. Swaine at 11:30 this morning. Dr. Hilar and Mrs. Swaine arrived here on Friday and registered at a house on C. J. Smith and wife. They remained in their room, scarcely leaving it for longer than a half an hour at a time. This morning Dr. Swaine, who had followed his wife and her lover from Plaquemine, entered the room by a side door and made his way to the room occupied by the pair. Both were fully dressed. He drew his pistol and fired three shots, while the man who was killed fired six shots, none of them hitting Dr. Swaine. The latter immediately ran out of the house into the arms of a policeman who was attracted by the noise. The Dr. was placed under arrest and carried to the police station.

Dr. Swain expressed pleasure when informed that his man was dead. The woman in the case is perhaps 26 years old, and by no means attractive.

#### Heavy Sales Continue.

Our tobacco sales this week were largely in excess of those of last week and prices on fine leaf ranged as high as \$13. A considerable quantity of the better grade was sold and prices were quite satisfactory. Low leaf and common lugs were dull. Receipts have been very heavy during the past week and the prospects are most flattering for them to continue so for some time to come. There is a good demand for the finer tobaccos and it is not diminished at any time by the quality of such class appearing upon the market. Not so with trashy leaf and common lugs. They are a drag at all times and rarely ever even up satisfactorily, even though only a small price is expected. All of the warehousemen agree upon one thing that many farmers lose sight of entirely. They urge the necessity of more careful handling of the weed, and better ordering, if the highest market price is expected. It won't do to handle it with a pitch fork and call it "hail beaten" nor will it when it is as hard as a pine tree. Carefully handled, well ordered goods will command the top of the market here at any time.

#### County Court Callings.

Judge Breathitt disposed of the following cases Tuesday:

James Kirby, b. p., fined 1c and costs.

Minnie Buckner, col., disorderly, fined \$10 and costs.

Ellen Bentley, col., same, dismissed.

Sam Giles, col., b. p., fined 1c and costs.

Lula Thompson, col., disorderly, conducted, fined \$15.

Lula Ogg, col., same, fined \$15. Sent to jail.

W. H. Kephart, b. p., fined 1c and costs on a plea of guilty.

Moses Williams, col., selling liquor without license.

Geo. Harris, col., petit larceny, trial set for to-day and prisoner sent to jail.

Lizzie Banks, col., b. p., set for to-day. Defendant out on bond.

Tom Boyd, col., same, same. Bond given.

Henry Buckner, col., e. c. d. w. and disorderly, held over for grand jury investigation. Buckner was sent to jail in default of bond.

Tony Buckner, Jas. Williams and Will Hobson, all colored, disorderly conduct, continued. These cases have been tried twice, the jury failing to agree each time.

#### The Fulton Gordon Trial.

The trial of Fulton Gordon has been in progress at Louisville since Tuesday. Col. James Anderson Scott, of Frankfort, was retained by the Browns to assist in getting at the facts. A sensation was created when Col. Scott claimed in a speech that Arch Brown was the victim of a plot and was fully assassinated by those interested in getting him out of their way, who used Gordon as their tool. This, however, was not established in the trial. The argument began yesterday. After court Wednesday Gordon fainted and fell in a heap on the floor.

#### Two Farmers Fight.

John Jones and Willis Burchett, two young Logan county farmers who live near Ferguson, got into a quarrel last Sunday and Jones cut Burchett a number of times about the neck and breast. The worst stab was under the left arm. The wound now is in a critical condition and the chances are against his recovery. Jones had not been arrested at last accounts.

### TEN DAYS IN A TREE.

With Nothing But Chinese Medicines and a Pair of Boots to Eat.

A Chinese miner, who, with a companion, was left in the snow amid the rugged mountains of Flu. mas county, has been found, nearer dead than alive, says the Oroville Mercury. For ten days he lived in a hollow tree, with nothing to eat but some Chinese medicine and scraps of leather cut from his boots. When rescued by a party of white miners his feet, from which he had cut the boots for food, were terribly frozen, and he was so weak he could hardly move. The searchers could find no trace of his companion, who is supposed to have perished.

There are a large number of Chinese mining at Brown's Hill, and February 25 two of the number left the camp to go to La Porte, a distance of sixteen miles, to procure some Chinese medicine for the use of the members of the camp. The weather was good, and the two Chinese proceeded safely over the snow to La Porte, procured the medicine, stayed over night and started back the next morning. During their trip back on the 26th a snow-storm set in and the Chinese became bewildered and hopelessly lost in the rough, mountainous country. They each had different ideas as to which direction to take, and finally quarreled and separated. One of them had not gone far before he found a hollow tree, where he was somewhat sheltered from the storm. He had matches with him and built a small fire, and, crouching over that, he lived for ten days. When their companions did not return to Brown's Hill the Chinese became alarmed and went to La Porte, where they ascertained that they had been there and started back. Then the white men about Cascade and Lumpkin were notified and search parties went out.

The other day John Kitrick, while searching with a companion for the lost man, noticed smoke down in a canyon. He went down there, and a tree found the poor Chinese nearly dead. Leaving him there, Mr. Kitrick went for help, and the unfortunate man was taken to the settlement and healed.

His experience during those ten days had been fearful. As the pangs of hunger came upon him he took off his boots, parched them over the fire, and ate them and drank the medicine. When he found his boots were all gone and feet frozen and he was so weak he could not stand; he had given up all hope. So grateful was he that when camp was reached he gave his rescuers fifty dollars in gold dust, all that he had. He will recover.

#### Two Fine Games.

The Henderson base ball players arrived yesterday morning and are stopping at Hotel Latham. Among them are Chas. Dexter, Clarksville's last year's catcher, Pete Weber and Osenberger, the Evansville star pitcher. Yesterday's game had not been finished when we went to press.

Henderson's team is composed of the following players:

Dexter c, Weber p, Osenberger p, Forsythe 1b, Souper 2b, W. Souper 3b, Moore, ss, Starling lf, Law cf, Velly rf.

The local team is as follows:

Hord c, Schmidt p, Womack 1b, Richardson 2b, S. Morris 3b, Sharp ss, Ashford lf, A. Ward cf, Leason rf. The management has made Richard son captain, and the little second basemen not only knows the game but he is a hard, conscientious player. Capt. Richardson will have his men in the parade in uniform so the public can size them up.

Come and see the game or you will miss a treat. It will be called at 8 o'clock this afternoon.

#### A Midnight Mass.

The dwelling house of Prof. Jno. Sollee, near Clarksville mill, in North Christian was burned Sunday night, together with nearly all of its contents, entailing a loss of several hundred dollars. The work was evidently that of an incendiary, as there had been no fire about the house for several hours before the building was discovered in flames, which was about midnight. There was no insurance on either building or contents. Prof. Sollee had just recently sold his property at Crofton and moved to his new home.

#### A Thunderbolt's Freak.

During a severe rain and thunder storm in the Antioch section late Monday afternoon lightning struck the stable of Mr. Venable Carpenter doing considerable damage to the building, killing one fine young horse, knocking down several others and badly stunning Mr. Carpenter, who was near by. Mr. Carpenter was not seriously injured by the shock. His property loss is considerable.

### POOR OLD CLARKSVILLE

ONE OF HER TOBACCO MEN CONVICTED OF FRAUDULENT SAMPLING.

Review of the Testimony in the Edwards Case—Fine of \$300 assessed in His Case.

The Clarksville Times of Tuesday says the jury in the well-known tobacco case against J. T. Edwards and others returned their verdict Monday, finding the defendants guilty, and imposing a fine of \$300 upon each.

The charge against the defendants was exhibiting fraudulent samples. The evidence was, in substance, as follows:

In September, 1894, J. T. Edwards sold by sample about eighty hogheads of tobacco to B. K. Gold, agent for Geo. W. Krenelburg & Co., of New York. That Geo. W. Krenelburg & Co. are agents for the Austrian government, and that the samples purposed to have been drawn from hogheads containing "Austrian Leaf tobacco." That thirty hogheads, together with the samples were shipped to New York; that Krenelburg & Co. thereupon inspected the New York and that thirty hogheads, proven to be different from the samples. Forty-eight hogheads were here awaiting shipment; K. & Co. ordered these hogheads to be sampled, which was accordingly done. Of this lot, twenty-eight differed materially from the original samples.

The nineteen redrawn samples from New York, together with the twenty-eight redrawn here, were placed in the hands of the Tobacco Board of Trade for comparison with the original samples by which the tobacco was sold.

The committees of arbitration and appeal filed the differences in value which were alleged to be a variance from one to five dollars per hundred in favor of the original samples.

In their report they stated that the originals showed evidence of "plucking," "doctoring" and "substitution."

The case just tried was one of about twenty indictments found by the grand jury against the defendants.

Rarely in the history of Montgomery county has a case been so closely contested as so ably conducted.

The counsel for the defendants left no stone unturned whereby their clients could be benefited.

Thos. F. Martin, the competent attorney-general, was ably assisted in the prosecution by Messrs. Leech & Savage and Henry Scow, while the defendants were represented by Messrs. R. H. Burney, W. M. Daniel and Col. Jno. G. House.

#### MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

After the verdict had been rendered the defense entered a protest for a new trial. This motion will not be argued for several days.

#### LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Reported by TATUM, EMMETT & CO., LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS, SOUTHERN STOCK YARDS.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 8.—Cattle—Receipts 161 and 51 calves. Shipments 102 and 20 calves. The market being well supplied ruled exceedingly dull throughout the day, prices were not much lower than on Monday, but there was no life or activity in the trade. At the close a clearance was not made. The bull market is firm. Fair demand for good feeders and stockers of good make.

Hogs—Receipts 1389. Shipments 800. Market slow and feeble to 10c lower than yesterday's prices, extreme tops \$4.50. Choice lights in fair demand at quotations. Light trashy pigs dull. At the close all sold. Prospects only fair.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 384, Shipments 100. Market rule firm at quotations.

#### QUOTATIONS.

CATTLE—Extra shipping ..... 10.00 to 10.50  
Light shipping ..... 9.00 to 9.50  
Best butcher ..... 4.00 to 4.50  
Fair to good butchers ..... 3.50 to 4.00  
Common and new butchers ..... 3.00 to 3.50  
Thin, rough steers, poor cows and calves to extra ..... 1.50 to 2.00  
Common to extra ..... 1.00 to 1.50  
Feeders ..... 4.00 to 4.25  
Stockers ..... 2.50 to 3.00  
Bulls ..... 2.00 to 2.50  
Choice milk cows ..... 5.00 to 5.50  
Fair good milk cows ..... 4.00 to 4.50

It is claimed upon the best of authority that the Morgan-Kothschild bond syndicate is engaged in cornering the gold market, so as to force another bond issue in the near future.

Gov. Turney was inaugurated as governor of Tennessee Wednesday, the Republican legislators refusing to attend.

A corporal was arrested on a charge of insubordination. Impatient at their attempts to keep in line, he cried out to them, in an angry tone: "Eyes front! Step out of the ranks, you set of duffers, and come and see what you look like!"





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*A Solid Oak Suit for*  
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FUNERAL DIRECTOR





## AROUND AND ABOUT.

NOTHING BUT NEWS FOUND IN THIS COLUMN.

A Condensed Account of the Latest Happenings, Tensely Told for Busy Readers.

Gov. Morrill, of Kansas, is to be arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. The statement of Waters & Waters, attorneys, who are preparing the papers which will be signed by Warden Chase, of the state penitentiary. The charge is made on the ground that Gov. Morrill drew the money from the state to pay for the services given by his private secretary a month before the governor was inaugurated. The warden is mad at the governor for causing an investigation of the penitentiary.

The executive committee of the K. P. A. has been called to meet at Owensboro May 15, to fix the time and place for the next meeting. The committee is as follows: Chas. M. Meacham, Hopkinsville; B. D. Ring, Hartford; A. Y. Ford, Louisville; R. E. Morningstar, Bowling Green and A. J. Casey, Owensboro.

Chas. Garratt was hanged Tuesday at Lebanon, Pa., for the murder of his wife September 16th of last year. He went to his wife after breakfasting, term in prison, and while pretending to be about to kiss her, slashed her throat with a razor. He attempted suicide after being convicted.

Brockton, Mass., manufacturers have decided almost unanimously to increase the price of shoes from 15 to 20 cents a pair. The manufacturers say that the increase means no extra profit to them but that it is made necessary by the advance in the price of shoe leather.

A babe with two faces was born to J. Doherty and wife at Kansas City Monday. The two faces are back to back and the child is healthy and strong. Hundreds have viewed the child.

The McCracken county Democratic committee will meet tomorrow to take further action for the nomination of a legislative candidate. The convention called failed to nominate.

Dr. S. O. Hocker, mayor of Stanford, Ky., committed suicide by hanging on account of domestic troubles. He was 62 years old and well to do.

R. W. Townsend and son, Abner, and John Fulgon had a street fight at Warren, Tenn., and all were killed. An old feud was the cause.

The Republicans of Hart county have nominated for representative Jno. B. Carpenter, who already held the Populist nomination.

Albert Coleman shot Sam Edwards at Kuttawa in a quarrel about a game of craps. Edwards will die. Both are negroes.

Sam Jones is due in Owensboro next week about the time the Democratic convention will get under way.

Mrs. Ellen Bailey, of Elkton, Ky., died suddenly in Nashville Wednesday, where she went for medical treatment.

Miss Corinne Blackburn, daughter of the senator, has just returned from a year's visit to Belgium.

Paducah's proposed stock law ordinance was passed by a vote of 6 to 5. This forebodes its defeat.

Tom Mack and Frank Skinner, two negroes, fought at Benton over a game of craps and Skinner was killed.

Calloway county Populists have nominated Chas. Stewart for the legislature.

Opponents of Senator Blackburn in Lexington are preparing a pamphlet on the Senator's record in congress.

Elen G. Vick was elected city attorney of Russellville to fill a vacancy.

The waterworks at Kuttawa have been completed.

## DEATHS.

THREAT—Mr. Thomas Terry died at his home in Lafayette late Monday afternoon. He had been ill for several months and some weeks ago was paralyzed and never recovered from the stroke. He was a native of North Carolina and came to Christian county about 40 years ago and located in Lafayette, where he resided up to his death. The funeral occurred Wednesday, the interment taking place at the family burying ground.

OWENSBORO.—Mrs. John Corington, of Pembroke, died in Nashville Tuesday evening. She had been in that city under medical treatment for several days and a surgical operation was performed Tuesday from which she never rallied. The remains were interred in Hopewell cemetery, this city, Wednesday.

## COLORED.

LAW.—An infant of Grant Laws died of fever in the city Tuesday.

## The Literary Lottery.

How great a literary literature is evidenced in a striking way by the experience of George Du Maurier, who sold "Trilby" for \$5,000, when the publishers offered would have yielded him nearer \$25,000, and by the previous experience of Gen. Lew Wallace, who once unsuccessfully offered the manuscript of "Fair God" for \$75, while the royalties on "Ben Hur" have returned him \$75,000. He is said to have sold his "Prince of India" for \$50,000 outright.

## CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS.

Sometimes Called Bright's Disease.—Dr. Hartman's Latest Lecture.

In the course of a recent lecture at the Surgical Hotel Dr. Hartman said: "Catarrh of the Kidneys is a very common disease, growing more common each year. The symptoms are pain in the back, gravel, high-colored urine, containing albumen and various sediments; nausea, and sometimes vomiting; puffiness of the face and feet; dropsy of the legs; shortness of breath and general weakness, pallor and dryness of the skin, chilly feelings, alternating with fever and sleeplessness. "A tablespoonful of Peruna, one or two times each meal, and at bedtime, and enough Man-a-lin at night to produce one natural action of the bowels each day. When the disease is of long-standing, heated Peruna should be applied to the back in addition to the above treatment, and the diet consist principally of milk and dry toast. Avoid liquor and tobacco."

## MEDICAL BOOK FREE.

The Per-na Drug Manufacturing Co. of Columbus, Ohio, are offering free, postpaid, two medical books, one on catarrh and catarrhal diseases, the other on spring medicines and spring diseases. The books contain the very latest and most reliable information on these important subjects. For free book on cancer address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

## SIGNAL TRIUMPHS WON

By Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Two signal triumphs have been achieved by Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. First it received Highest Award and Diploma at the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893. Next it secured Highest Award and Gold Medal at the California Midwinter Fair of 1894. At both Fairs it surpassed all competitors in every respect. The award, in each instance, was for strength, leavening power, perfect purity and general excellence. It was sustained by the unanimous vote of the judges.

The victory at Chicago establishes the supremacy of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder in the world. The triumph at San Francisco confirms and emphasizes it. The Paducah council is after the town cow with a sharp stick. The Standard makes these sensible comments on the issue:

"Of all the nuisances with which Paducah was ever afflicted the cow at large on the streets is the greatest. This city with its miles of fine pavements and hundreds of elegant lanes cannot afford to allow such a nuisance to continue."

There is a fine imposed for driving horses on the pavements and against bicyclers from riding thereon, but the cow has free way, she can trample the pavements, frighten women and children, tear down your gates, destroy your property, endanger the lives of citizens, and the council are either afraid for political reasons, or else because they keep a herd themselves, and will not raise a hand for the protection of life and property in the city. The ordinance introduced by Mr. Ezell last night should receive the support of every member of the council.

The city would be better off at the end of the year if it would hire a herder and pay the feed bill of the cow owners than to allow the cow to continue her rounds of destruction."

McClelland's Halma, the favorite, won the 21st Derby at Louisville with all ease in 2:07 1/2. Bass was second and Laureate third. There were 15,000 persons on the grounds to witness the race. "Soup" Perkins rode the winner.

Early strawberries are ripe and by next week the season will be at its height. The crop is said to be plentiful and very fine.

Mr. T. A. Smithson is in Evansville attending the annual meeting of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions of the C. P. church. She is a delegate from the Hopkinsville church.

The city council held its usual monthly meeting Tuesday night, but nothing of special importance was done.

## Awarded

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## PERSONAL GOSPEL.

Judge J. W. McPherson, who went to Dawson the first of the week, had a relapse Tuesday and fell in a fainting spell and cut a painful gash on his face and head. His condition has been much worse since that time and he was brought home Wednesday in a very weak and failing condition. The state of his health is now such as to give serious apprehensions to his family. He has some heart trouble.

Mr. W. H. Shumous, a prominent tobacco man of Greenbrier, Tenn., spent several days last week in the city. Mr. Shumous is selling a good deal of tobacco on our market this season.

The reported marriage of Louis Spencer Daniel and Mrs. Edith M. Boushner, at Clarksville, will not, so Mr. Daniel authorized the announcement in the Leaf Chronicle.

Mr. W. E. Head, a tobacco dealer, of Adams Station, Tenn., and Messrs. B. E. Montgomery and Jack Heiler, farmers of the same section, attended the sales here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Moore have returned home, Mr. Moore not having an assignment this time in the revenue service.

Mrs. Jessie Lamar, of Montgomery, Ala., arrived last evening and is the guest of Mrs. Jno. R. Kitchen, on Liberty street.

Mr. R. J. Carothers and wife and Mr. W. E. Ragdale, Jr., and wife, of Lafayette, spent Wednesday in the city.

Miss Mattie Sisley has returned home after a visit of several weeks to her sister, Mrs. Josh Boyd, at Elm Creek, Neb.

Mr. W. E. Hudson and wife, of Nashville, are in the city on a visit to the family of Mr. J. B. Dade.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Richardson are spending the week in the city visiting their various relatives.

Messrs. I. H. Robertson and W. S. Feland, of Owensboro, are in the city on insurance business.

Hon. John Feland, of Owensboro, spent several days in the city this week.

Miss Bessie McCarroll has returned from an extended visit to relatives at Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. L. R. Snyers, of Mt. Vernon, Ind., is the guest of Mrs. B. J. Matthews.

Mr. John Mosyon has returned from Dawson, much improved in health by his stay.

Miss Lula Dickerson, of Bennetts-town, visited the family of Mr. G. W. Southall Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. Torst is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Broadus, near Church Hill.

Dr. E. P. Russell left this week for New York, where he will sail for Scotland on a three months tour.

Miss Katie McDaniel is making official visits to schools in Lantry's district this week.

Mrs. F. P. Renshaw is visiting relatives in Madisonville and Providence this week.

Mrs. Anna Walker and daughter, are visiting relatives at Celadonia.

Mrs. R. C. Hardwick and children have returned from a visit to Owensboro.

Mr. W. E. Graves visited friends in Henderson county this week.

Miss Richey Burnett is visiting friends in Nashville this week.

## SPECIAL LOCALS.

Herndon-Carter Co. are headquarters on wool. See their ad. in this issue.

## Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of Jas. M. Clark, dec'd., are hereby notified to present the same to me properly proven according to law by June 3, 1896.

Geo. C. Long, Adm'r.

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Here is a Partial List of the

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ROCK SALT FOR YOUR CATTLE AND TO FREEZE YOUR CREAM.

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Full stock bought before the advance and sold accordingly.

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Made to fit any opening. Leave orders for sizes.

A car load of Steel Roofing just received. This makes the cheapest roof you can put on. Stables and coal houses built within the fire limits can be built very cheaply with corrugated Iron siding and covered with steel roofing.

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Recently Appointed Chief of the Revenue Marine Service.

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Capt. Charles F. Shoemaker, who has just been appointed chief of division revenue cutter service, is the junior captain on the list, having only been promoted to his present grade on the death of Capt. Shepard, late chief of division, who he now succeeds.

In the thirty-one years, however, which Capt. Shoemaker has spent in the revenue and life-saving services he has made a record for efficiency, thoroughness and discretion, which renders his appointment a just recognition of ability and will, according to the editor of Harper's Weekly, commend it to the progressive officers of the service.

He was born in Glendale, Jefferson county, Ia., March 31, 1841, and was a son of the late Capt. William R. Shoemaker, of the same. His early life was spent at the various frontier posts to which his father was assigned, where, with slight educational advantages, by his own perseverance, and such assistance as he could obtain from his parents, he prepared himself so that by his seventeenth year he was able to enter the naval academy at Annapolis, to which he was appointed in 1858 from New Mexico.

He resigned during his third year, and entered the revenue cutter service, to which he was commissioned third lieutenant November 30, 1860, and was attached to the cutter Lewis Cass at Mobile, Ala., when that state seceded from the union in 1861.

The captain of the vessel turned it over to the state government, and entered the confederate service; but Lieut. Shoemaker, together with the other officers and crew, remained loyal to the government, and made their way north. He served during the war in various vessels, on guard duty



CAPT. CHARLES F. SHOEMAKER.

at the port of New York, and conveying vessels on the coast, and was assigned to engage in business, but in 1868 he was recommended a lieutenant, and served until 1870 on the Atlantic coast, when he entered the life-saving service, and was appointed chief of the life-saving stations at assistant. In 1876 he was appointed assistant inspector of the Third district, comprising the coast of Rhode Island and Long Island. He completely re-organized this district, under the direction of the general superintendent of the life-saving service, Sumner L. Kimball, to whose office in Washington he was transferred in 1878.

In 1880 he was detached, at his own request, and was assigned to duty as executive officer of the Seaward service in the Gulf of Mexico, but in 1885 he again found himself at his old post in the life-saving service, as assistant inspector of the Third district.

He was once more put in the state of thorough efficiency, he was thereafter employed in the inspection of all the districts of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. For three years, during the illness of the inspector, almost all of that officer's work devolved on Lieut. Shoemaker.

In 1884 he finally left the life-saving service to take command of the Washington at New York. The following extracts from a letter written him at the time by Sumner L. Kimball, general superintendent, bear witness to the value of his work in that division.

"I cannot," wrote Mr. Kimball, "allow the occasion to pass without my expression of my personal and official regard for yourself and your services. The duties of an assistant inspector are always important and often of very serious responsibility. In your discharge you have uniformly manifested great skill and marked ability. I have never hesitated to intrust to you the most difficult cases requiring investigation, and have found your examinations thorough, your conclusions sound and your recommendations impartial. The amount of important work you have accomplished proves your diligence, and the results which have stood the test of time, establish the value of your judgment."

In 1893 Lieut. Shoemaker was given command of the Hudson, continuing his station at New York. His commission as captain, and the order directing him to report to the treasury department for duty as chief of division, came to him by the same mail.

**Musical Suspensions Bridge.**

Bands of music are forbidden to play on most of the large bridges of the world. A constant succession of sound waves, especially such as come from the playing of a horn, and excite the wires to vibration. At first the vibrations are very slight, but they will increase as the sound waves continue to come. The principal reason why bands are not allowed to play when crossing certain bridges, the suspension bridge at Niagara, for instance, is that it is followed by processions of any kind they will keep step with the music, and this regular step would cause the wires to vibrate. At suspension bridges military companies are not allowed to march across in regular step, but break ranks. The regular trotting of a large dog across suspension bridges is more dangerous to the bridge than a heavy loaded wagon drawn by a team of large horses.

## BIMETALLISM IN ENGLAND.

A Great Revolution in the Monetary System of the World.

Robert P. Porter, correspondent of a syndicate of American newspapers, recently interviewed the widely known English bimetallicist, W. H. Grenfell, on the outlook in England for the introduction of bimetallicism. Mr. Grenfell is a wealthy man and has served in parliament, and is now chairman of the bimetallic parliamentary committee.

Mr. Grenfell is reported as saying that a great change of opinion has taken place in the house of commons on the money question. "In 1893 bimetallicism was considered not merely a fad," he says, "but an unwise thing, too far for serious discussion; in 1893 the closing of the Indian mint, the great fall in the price of silver, which was the inevitable consequence of that policy, the depressed state of agriculture and serious position of the country, owing to the ruinous fall in prices, have forced the currency question upon the attention of the most ignorant and most bigoted—and the two form one class." Thus the same house of commons which had rejected a resolution favoring a bimetallic conference in 1893 has now adopted such a resolution.

As the aims of the bimetallicist, he says, "The great aim of bimetallicism is to mitigate and remove the evils arising from the constant fluctuations and growing divergence in the relative value of gold and silver, and the fact that the house of commons has unanimously passed a resolution embodying the above statement of opinion is one of the significant facts of the day, and is not, as is so often said, an exaggeration. It is an actual, visible and tangible result of the change of opinion in the house of commons. Bimetallicism is in the air, and everywhere discussed, the feeling that there is something very wrong somewhere, which can be redressed, is growing. The districts of Lancashire, Cheshire, Yorkshire and Derbyshire are getting more and more impatient. The Textile Operatives' association of these districts has subscribed £200 to the funds of the Bimetallic League. There used to be an old saying in political circles that what Lancashire thinks first the rest of the country thinks soon after—and Lancashire has already begun to ask the reason why." "Seven directors of the Bank of England," he says, "are favorable to the bimetallic cause. One of the best known of them, Mr. Liddell—has of late taken an active part in the work of the league and has supported it on public platforms. The league, too, numbers well-known bankers among its vice presidents. Bimetallicism, in fact, in England, is merely a question of time; but unfortunately in this case every moment of delay is of the most serious importance."

"The next conference that is called should be called to settle the details of an international monetary agreement, the main principle of which should have been agreed upon before. The chancellor of the exchequer, says that he will be no party to altering the currency of this country, but England can do much toward an international bimetallic agreement, and her people can still maintain the barbaric custom of carrying about in their pockets, or in their trousers pockets. If England would open the mints of India to the free coinage of silver, if England would consent to put under the mints of India which she already possesses by act of keeping one-fifth of her reserve in silver, she would do perhaps as much as any other nation toward the free coinage of silver, and could do it at once, and without infringing upon any of the conditions laid down by the chancellor of the exchequer. India is a huge silver sea, the sand absorbs water; the open mints of India did as much for silver as the bimetallic ratio of the Latin union. If France and Germany and the United States could agree upon some basis upon which to reopen their mints to silver, and upon which England would agree to open the mints of India and keep one-fifth of her reserves in silver, bimetallicism would be established all the world over on an absolute basis. It is a matter of time, and an arrangement could be speedily arrived at without in any way affecting the prejudice and ignorances of the British people."

"It is a most remarkable fact, and one to which sufficient attention has not been called, that Mr. Gladstone's government in 1881 made a very similar proposal, and offered, if the mints of the Latin union were reopened to silver, to keep one-fifth in the bank reserve of the Bank of England in silver, which can be done by law at the present moment. Surely we have here the basis of an equitable arrangement. Personally I would much rather see England become frankly and openly bimetallic, with absolute free coinage of gold and silver, than maintain the ratio, but recognizing the obstinacy of the English character and the fact that England has been on a gold standard since 1816, and the fearful consequences which will follow from delay, I believe that if England were to make the important concession which I have mentioned, the bimetallic system would be established and obtain all over the world, England included."

**The Proposed Conference.** The Atlantic Constitution thinks that the next step should be the bimetallic movement in Europe, and the agitation of the matter should have the effect of stimulating the efforts of the gold coinage countries of the United States. It is the agitation over here that has caused renewed hope in France and Germany, and if the response of the people of those nations to the hopeful enthusiasm displayed here should cause bimetallicism in the United States to relax their energies, a distinct setback will be given to the movement.

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## STIRRED UP.

The Attraction for Free Coinage of Silver Being Carried on with Much Vigor.

Reports from all over the country received here indicate that the agitation for the free and unlimited coinage of silver is being carried on with great vigor and earnestness. The action of the Illinois democratic state committee in announcing a wide campaign of resolution to adjourn the party action on the question has evidently given an impetus all along the line. There is no longer much doubt that the silver men are well organized, and are distributing an extraordinary quantity of literature on the free coinage question. The movement is taking root in the east, and serious politicians in Pennsylvania and New Jersey are now ready to believe that the silver question will be a live issue in these states in future.

Senator Don Cameron, of Pennsylvania, who has steadily voted for free coinage in the senate, has always maintained that a majority of the people of Pennsylvania, exclusive of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, were in favor of free coinage.

A conspicuous politician from Pennsylvania informed your correspondent that the farming and laboring element in rural Pennsylvania were almost as earnest advocates of free coinage as the like classes in Kansas and Colorado.

Reports received from New Jersey indicate that the free silver propaganda is making famous progress in that state and is being taken up extensively by the agrarian communities. Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, a republican, who was solicitor of the treasury during the Harrison administration, arrived in Washington after an absence of six weeks in Iowa. During his western trip Mr. Hepburn paid particular attention to the feeling of the people on the silver coinage question. Speaking on the subject he said:

"I thought I saw an increasing feeling in favor of an immediate unlimited coinage of silver by the United States, which was very surprising to me. I spent a number of days in Chicago, and found the same conditions there. On the railway trains silver was a general topic of conversation. Free silver literature was in wide circulation everywhere. The educational press, newspapers and the popular press were all putting forth in behalf of free silver are having marked influence on the people."—Washington Post, St. Louis Republic.

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**A New Woman in India.** Miss Bilgrami of Hyderabad, the first Mohammedan girl to try a university examination, has passed the first examination in the arts at the Madras university with honors in Arabic. Not being allowed to leave the seclusion, she pursued her studies by herself under very great difficulties, as she could not attend college lectures. She took her examination in a girl's school under the eye of the head mistress.

**Original Thanksgiving.** The Thanksgiving proclamation was originated by Francis Bernard, 'captain general and governor in chief in and over his majesty's province of the Massachusetts Bay.' It was issued November 4, 1707.

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No. 28. Louisville Fast	9:20 a. m.
No. 56. Nashville Accom.	10:30 p. m.
No. 54. St. Louis Express	10:10 p. m.
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No. 55. St. Louis Express	4:30 a. m.
No. 56. Nashville Accommodation	1:30 a. m.
No. 54. St. Louis Mail	11:10 p. m.

Nashville Accommodation does not run on Monday.

North bound St. Louis and Chicago Fast trains leave through Hopkinsville solid and sleeper to Chicago and St. Louis.

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### HERE AND THERE.

Cottage for rent—G. A. Russell. \*

Gano Grissom has a position as reporter on the new Nashville daily, the Post.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky. \*

Dinneen & Co. have opened a confectionery store next door to the KENTUCKIAN office.

Corn wanted. Inquire here.

Mr. John Blaine, of Pee Dee, has undertaken the management of Judge T. J. Morrow's farm near the city.

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Hereafter there will be no more visiting at Campbell's cafe without permission from Mr. Campbell.

FORRENT on South Virginia street a desirable place, house of 8 rooms, large yard and garden and all kinds of fruit. W. W. Ware. \*

Lawyer Frank Rives has moved his office to rooms over the Planter's Bank and will office with W. S. Withers.

A fine rain fell in the Oak Grove neighborhood Tuesday. Other parts of the county were less fortunate.

The graduating exercises of the High School department of the Hopkinsville public schools will be held at the opera house on the evening of June 14th. There will be eleven graduates and young ladies.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell and Jno. Y. Owsley made a three-minute run for five miles on the Canton pike, on their wheels Tuesday evening. They covered five miles in fifteen minutes.

Sweet potato slips in large quantities and varieties. Ky. Reds, Southern Queens, Jersey Reds, Jersey yellows, Red Nancymonds, Yellow Nancymonds, Mississippi Yams at McKee's, the grocer.

In the city court Tuesday, Lula Tolu was fined \$15 and costs on a charge of keeping a bawdy house. Mrs. Wells was also taxed a like amount on a similar charge.

The colored public schools of the city will issue diplomas to three graduates in June, who have completed the common school course. There will be several other graduates who have not yet passed the required examinations.

Fine rains have fallen in the Longview, Barker's mill and Austin neighborhoods this week and some tobacco has been set. Plants are now large enough for use and a general rain would be welcomed by the farmers.

Mr. A. M. Wallis' delivery wagon was upset Wednesday while making a turn at the corner of Twelfth and Water streets, and groceries were thrown in every direction. The wagon was considerably damaged and the horse was also slightly injured.

The authorities at Clarksville decided that boxing contests are contrary to law and the proposed match Tuesday night between Jimmie Clark, of this city, and Dr. Stanton, of Clarksville, was declared off. Judge Tyler construed the law at the request of the parties.

The L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets to Louisville at one fare May 14th and 15th, good returning until and on May 17th, account state convention People's party of Kentucky. J. M. ADAMS, Agent.

J. H. Anderson's new scheme by which he will give away \$20 in silver was put into effect at noon Tuesday. He has a small sale in which the money has been placed by a disinterested committee and the only key that will unlock it has been mixed up with hundreds of others until its identity has been lost. Every customer buying a certain amount will be given a key and the safe will be opened August 12. The holder of the lucky key will get the money.

The L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets to Bowling Green at one fare May 14 and 15th, good returning until and on May 17th, account Grand Commandery Knights Templar. J. M. ADAMS, Agent.

County Judge Breathitt's office does not look like the dingy uninvited room it was before the court of claims met. An appropriation was made to fix up the major's room (by the way he still prefers his military title) and now it is one of the handsomest offices about the court house.

A railing has been put in, a nice carpet has been laid, the walls of the entire room brightened up with paper and paint. The court also fixed Judge Breathitt's salary at \$1,000, \$200 more than his predecessor received. The fees of his office are added to this.

Dr. A. P. Campbell has resumed his practice and also has secured the right to extract teeth by the painless process. Office over Bassett & Co. \*

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The statement of the L. & N. earnings for the fourth week in April is a little more encouraging than any that has been issued for some time, as it shows a substantial increase over the earnings of 1894. There was also an increase for the month of April of \$57,702 over the same month of 1894 and an increase of \$250,685 from July 1, 1894, to April 30, 1895, over the period from July 1, 1893, to April 30, 1894. For the fourth week in April the passenger earnings shows an increase of \$4,449, and the freight an increase of \$68,876 over the same period in 1894. For the month of April there is an increase over last year of \$8,449 in passenger earnings and \$34,782 in freight earnings.

All persons having claims against the estate of W. M. West, deceased, are hereby notified to file same with me or C. H. Bush, properly proven, on or before June 1st, 1895.

M. V. DUNN, Adm'r.

Those rising young lawyers, Hanberry & Bell, have moved into a commodious suite of rooms in the Seagrave building on the corner of Main and Fifth streets. This firm is composed of Judge Frank Bell, now of the Independent and for several years city editor of the New Era. Both are young men of decided talent and destined to achieve distinction in their chosen profession. Their office is now one of the handsomest and most commodious to be found in the city, while the location is within a few steps of the court house. Those having legal business to transact would do well to intrust it to these bright, energetic and well-informed young lawyers. Their card appears in our advertising column.

All persons and creditors holding claims against the estate of D. D. Gardner, must on or before the 1st day of June, 1895, present and file said claim before me at Howell, Christian county, Kentucky. No claim or claims will be filed unless properly verified according to due form of law. This April 30th, 1895. J. S. QUABLES, Assignee. \*

In another column will be found an accurate report of the Louisville live stock market, furnished by special arrangement with the leading firm of that city. These quotations will be changed weekly and will appear every Friday. The figures may be relied upon as correct.

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Excursion Picnic. Hopkinsville to Earlinton. Given by the ladies of the Baptist church Saturday, May 11. Round trip only \$1. Children 14 years and under, 50 cents. The excursion coaches will be attached to the regular 9:50 morning train and returned by the 5:12 evening train. The privileges of the beautiful lake at Earlinton have kindly been granted for the occasion.

One Fare to Dallas, Tex. and Return. On account of the General Assembly Presbyterian church, the O. V. Ry. will sell tickets to Dallas, Tex. and return on May 13th, 14th and 15th at one fare for the round trip; good returning until June 3d. E. M. SHENWOOD, Agt. B. F. MITCHELL G. F. A.

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You want to buy goods at the lowest price, don't you? Well, come to us and get a genuine Dongola Oxford for 60c. Very cheap you say; and we tell you they are good wearers. Another great bargain is our patent tip hand turned Oxford at 75c. Still another—We challenge the world on our \$1.00, in all styles. This latter Shoe wears like iron. In fine goods from \$1.50 up, we will show you the most beautiful designs in Shoes, Oxfords and others ever offered or shown in Hopkinsville.

## Men's Shoes.

You know shoes of every description have advanced materially, yet we are loaded at the old prices and will sell you good reliable goods at low down figures.

## Children's Shoes.

By reason of miscalculation on our part we are over-stocked in Infant goods and will sell at a bargain some goods in this line, really at much less than value.

## Furnishing Goods.

In this line we offer for a few days immense bargains. A Balbriggan Suit, 2 garments for 50c, 25c each.

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